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Michigan Acreage Summary

Warmer weather across the State has helped progress the season back towards normal following cool spring temperatures. Overall, corn and soybeans appear to be in good condition despite their late planting. Producers were able to make considerable progress planting throughout the month of June. Highlights of the 2014 June Acreage report follow:

According to Jay Johnson, Director of the USDA, NASS, Great Lakes Regional Office, Michigan growers planted 2.55 million acres of corn for all purposes, down 50,000 acres from 2013. Harvested acres of corn for grain are anticipated to be 2.24 million acres, down 10,000 acres from a year ago.

U.S. corn planted area for all purposes in 2014 is estimated at 91.6 million acres, down 4 percent from last year. Growers expect to harvest 83.8 million acres for grain down 4 percent from 2013 as well.

Michigan soybean growers planted a record high 2.3 million acres, a 21 percent increase from 2013. Harvested acres of soybeans are anticipated to be 2.29 million acres which is also a 21 percent increase from the previous year.

U.S. soybean planted area for 2014 is estimated at 84.8 million acres, up 11 percent from last year. Area for harvest, at 84.1 million acres, is up 11 percent as well from 2013 and will be a record high, if realized.

Winter wheat growers planted 580,000 acres in Michigan, down 8 percent from 2013. Harvested acres of winter wheat for grain are anticipated to be 510,000 acres, down 15 percent from the previous year, but unchanged from the May 1 forecast.

U.S. winter wheat planted in 2014 is estimated at 42.3 million acres, down 2 percent from last year but up less than 1 percent from the previous estimate. Growers expect to harvest 32.4 million acres, unchanged from 2013.

Acres by Crop, Michigan and United States: 2012-2014

Commodity	Michigan			United States		
	2012	2013	2014	2012	2013	2014
Barley						
Planted 1,000 acres	11	10	9	3,637	3,480	3,091
Harvested 1,000 acres	9	9	8	3,244	3,000	2,633
Beans, dry						
Planted 1,000 acres	200	175	210	1,743	1,355	1,749
Harvested 1,000 acres	197	172	207	1,690	1,311	1,679
Corn, all						
Planted 1,000 acres	2,650	2,600	2,550	97,155	95,365	91,641
Corn, grain						
Harvested 1,000 acres	2,390	2,250	2,240	87,375	87,668	83,839
Hay, all						
Harvested 1,000 acres	970	940	970	56,260	58,257	57,646
Oats						
Planted 1,000 acres	50	50	60	2,760	3,010	3,027
Harvested 1,000 acres	35	35	45	1,045	1,030	1,153
Soybeans						
Planted 1,000 acres	2,000	1,900	2,300	77,198	76,533	84,839
Harvested 1,000 acres	1,990	1,890	2,290	76,164	75,869	84,058
Sugarbeets						
Planted 1,000 acres	154	154	151	1,230	1,198	1,162
Harvested 1,000 acres	153	153	150	1,204	1,154	1,134
Wheat, winter						
Planted 1,000 acres	570	630	580	41,224	43,090	42,296
Harvested 1,000 acres	540	600	510	34,734	32,402	32,419